

**COUNTY of LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH**  
**THIS IS NOT AN OFFICIAL EXAMINATION**  
**TRANSFER OPPORTUNITY RESTRICTED TO LOS ANGELES COUNTY EMPLOYEES ONLY**

**CAMP ASSESSMENT UNIT (CAU)**  
**Clinical Psychologist II**

A Clinical Psychologist II is being recruited to provide multi-faceted mental health assessments for youth detained in the juvenile hall and court ordered to camp placement. CAU is located at Barry J. Nidorf Juvenile Hall in the city of Sylmar.

**Desirable Qualifications:**

- Prior experience providing direct clinical services to children, adolescents and their families
- Prior experience with and knowledge of the juvenile justice system
- Possess strong assessment, clinical, and communication skills
- Ability to work as part of a multi-disciplinary team across various agencies/departments
- Prior experience in diagnosing individuals with developmental disabilities
- Prior experience assessing co-occurring disorders
- Ability to be flexible and have good time management skills in a detention setting
- Bilingual Spanish speaking skills a plus

**Essential Duties:**

- Conduct mental health assessments on youth who receive a camp order from the courts, including collaborative information from the Department of Probation and LA County Office of Education
- Provide recommendations to the Department of Probation and Mental Health Providers on the mental health treatment needs of youth once in camp
- Provide recommendations to the Probation Department and the court regarding youth who, due to mental health impairments, are unable to complete the camp order
- Participate in MDT's (Multidisciplinary Team Meetings) to develop alternate recommendations for youth who are not able to go or succeed in camp
- Present case assessments and collaborate with team on recommendations
- This position does not involve therapy

**Salary includes:**

- \$100 per month bilingual bonus for certified Spanish speakers

**Interested individuals currently holding the title of Clinical Psychologist II are encouraged to submit their resumes *no later than April 30, 2014* to:**

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